

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN BETTY LOU KASTEN**, on February 1, 1999
at 8:00 A.M., in Room 108 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Betty Lou Kasten, Chairman (R)
Sen. Chuck Swysgood, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Beverly Barnhart (D)
Rep. John Cobb (R)
Sen. Bob Keenan (R)
Sen. Mignon Waterman (D)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Bob Andersen, OBPP
Delila Croucher, Committee Secretary
Lorene Thorson, Legislative Branch
Connie Welsh, OBPP

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and
discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s): Child and Family Services
Division
Executive Action: none

Chuck Hunter gave an overview of the Child and Family Services
Division. The Divisions plan for the 2000/2001 biennium was
discussed as well as the recommended present law adjustments and
new proposals. **EXHIBIT(jhh25a01) EXHIBIT(jhh25a02)**
EXHIBIT(jhh25a03) EXHIBIT(jhh25a04)

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: B; Approx. Time Counter : 6.6}*

The following individuals testified on behalf of the Division:

Sheila Howe

EXHIBIT(jhh25a05)

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Jackie Biel

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: A; Approx. Time Counter : 13.1}*

Dana Toole

EXHIBIT(jhh25a06)

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Natalie Rowe

EXHIBIT(jhh25a07)

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 12:00 P.M.

REP. BETTY LOU KASTEN, Chairman

DELILA CROUCHER, Secretary

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EXHIBIT (jhh25aad)